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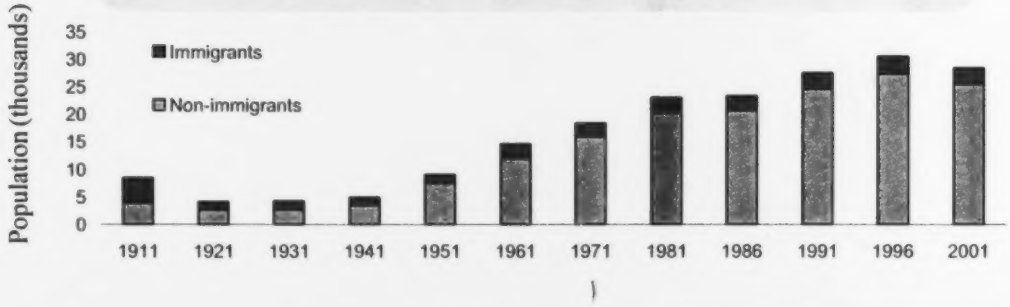

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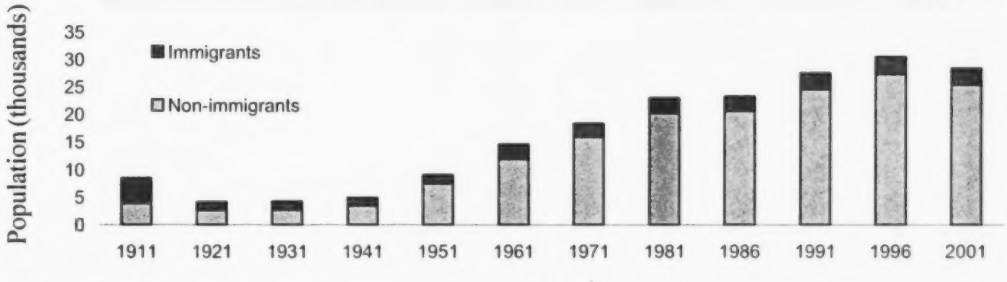

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Netherlands	105	135	115	Belgium	15	10	10
China, People's Republic of	10	40	110	Greece	10	10	10
Switzerland	50	85	105	Portugal	20	10	10
India	25	100	90	Algeria	0	0	10
France	40	65	70	Iraq	0	0	10
Austria	40	35	65	Hong Kong, Special Administrativ	10	20	10
South Africa, Republic of	15	25	65	Sri Lanka	0	0	10
Hungary	90	80	50	El Salvador	0	10	0
Jamaica	35	15	45	Mexico	10	0	0
Ireland, Republic of (EIRE)	45	80	45	Barbados		10	0
Czech and Slovak Federal Republic, Former	40	55	40	Haiti	10	0	0
Australia	55	35	40	Brazil	0	0	0
Viet Nam	65	165	30	Colombia	0	15	0
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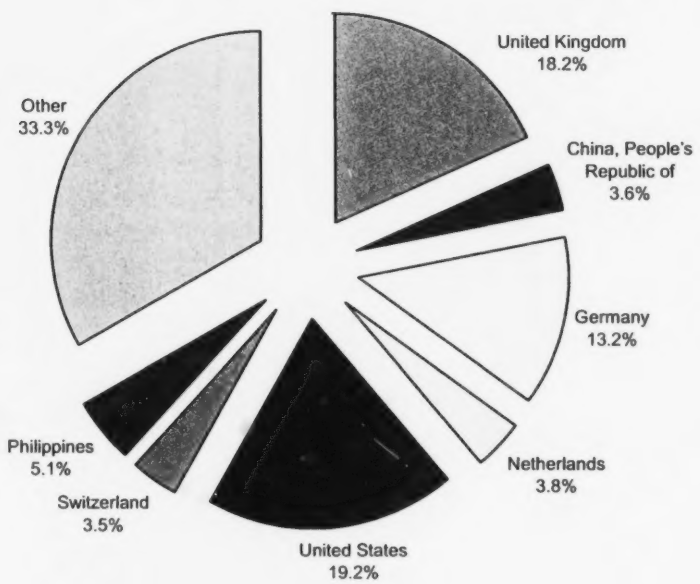

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Total - Place of birth of respondent	3,020	465	600	560	625	400	165	215
United States	580	20	150	185	105	70	10	30
Central and South America	65	10	0	15	10	35	0	0
Caribbean and Bermuda	50	0	35	0	0	10	10	0
Europe	1,640	425	365	255	240	140	105	115
United Kingdom	555	95	210	115	45	30	30	15
Other Northern and Western Europe	870	250	125	120	160	70	55	90
Eastern Europe	165	70	10	10	25	35	10	10
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Asia	460	0	15	40	185	115	45	65
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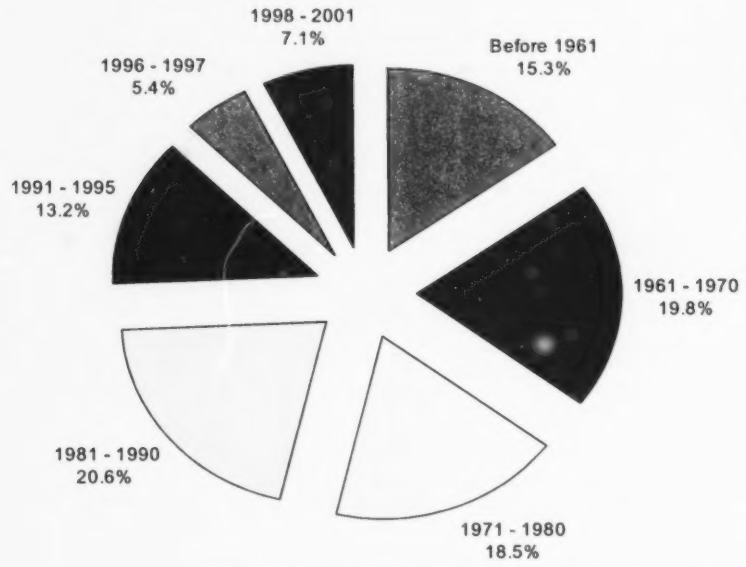

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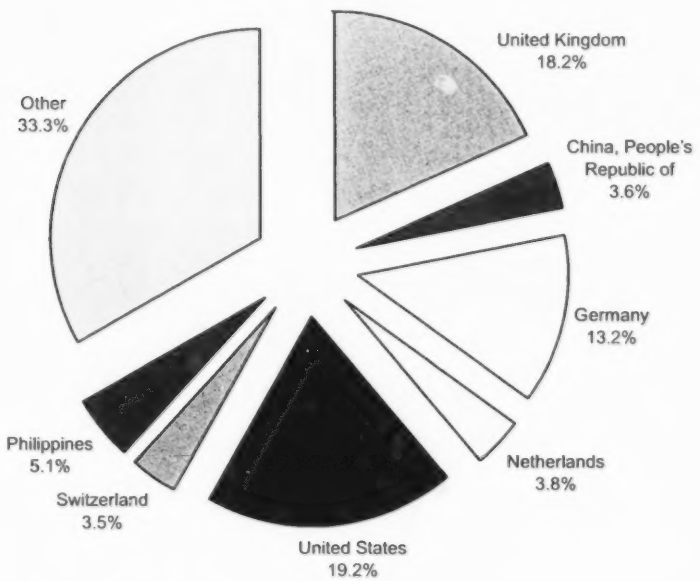

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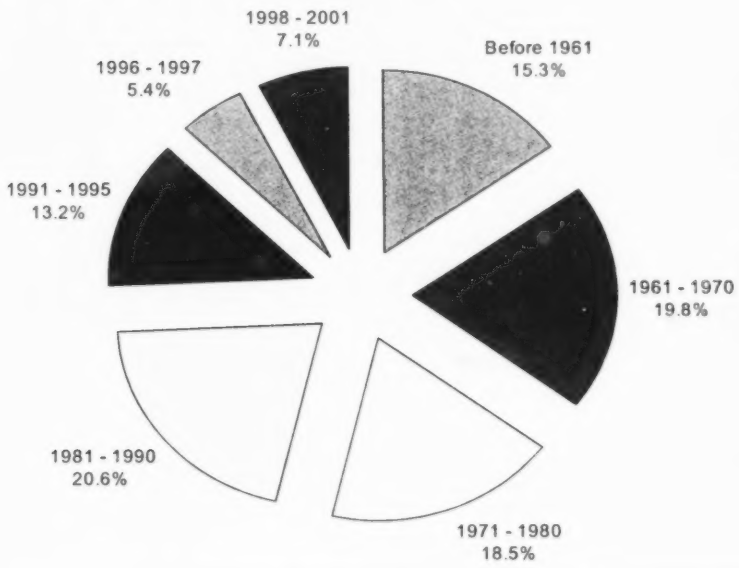

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	0 to 4 years	5 to 19 years	20 to 39 years	40 years and over
		%		
Yukon				
Total	9.9	23.3	55.0	11.9
Male	10.9	25.0	54.2	9.9
Female	8.9	21.2	56.0	14.0
Canada				
Total	9.5	27.5	49.1	13.9
Male	9.8	28.5	48.6	13.1
Female	9.2	26.6	49.5	14.6

Immigrant and Non-Immigrant Population, by Religion, Yukon,Census 2001

	Total	Non-immigrant population	Immigrant population
Total	28,520	25,445	3,025
Catholic	6,015	5,330	670
Protestant	9,480	8,600	875
Christian Orthodox	155	100	50
Christian, n.i.e.	1,005	845	150
Muslim	60	15	45
Jewish	35	25	10
Buddhist	130	75	50
Hindu	10	0	0
Sikh	105	20	85
Eastern religions	190	160	30
Aboriginal spirituality	190	180	0
Pagan	120	100	25
New Age	10	10	0
Gnostic	10	10	0
No religious affiliation	11,010	9,970	1,025

Notes

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Non-Immigrant Population: Refers to people who are Canadians citizens by birth. Although most were born in Canada, a small number were born outside Canada to Canadian parents.

Figures may not total due to rounding.

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